

WHO HAS SEEN AN INDIAN MAIDEN?

Strange Disappearance of
Julia Stark.
COMPLEXION AN OLIVE TINT
FIVE FEET FOUR INCHES TALL
AND WEIGHS 140 POUNDS.

Left Her Former Employer's Home
Last Wednesday Afternoon and
Since Then All Trace of Her
Has Been Lost—Police
Notified.

THE MISSING INDIAN GIRL.

- Age, 20 years.
- Height, 5 feet 4 inches.
- Weight, about 140 pounds.
- Hair and eyes, black.
- Complexion, olive tinted with pink.
- Costume when she departed from Mrs. Park's residence, black or dark blue skirt, light waist and white hat trimmed with moss and wreathed with a white veil.

Mrs. Julia Stark, a half-breed Indian girl, said to be of an attractive type of beauty, is being sought by Mrs. Mary Park of 3019 Bell avenue, who has involved the aid of the police department in ascertaining her whereabouts.

The Indian maiden went to the Park residence last Wednesday morning from her home in Linneburg, 1 T. The same afternoon she departed from the Park residence, saying she would return probably the same evening.

Mrs. Park has not heard from her in the interval, though her trunk and other belongings remain at 3019 Bell avenue.

"I feel rather like a guardian of the girl," said Mrs. Park to the Post-Dispatch Monday morning. "She came to me to work as a servant. But she was such a good girl and so well behaved that I came to take an interest in her welfare."

"After living with me for last August to April, she went home to visit her mother in the Indian Territory. She returned last Wednesday morning and told me that her mother would not have allowed her to come back had it not been for the fact that she was coming back to live with me, her mother knowing that I had taken an interest in the girl."

"I told her I had no place for her at that time as I had two girls, but that she might stay with me free of charge until I would engage her again."

"She said that would be all right if she could find another place, but stated that she would look for a position at once."

"She left the house that day and I haven't seen or heard of her since. I still have her trunk and handbag. I feel something must have happened to her. I feel sure she would let me know if she had found a place."

UMBRELLAS NEEDED TUESDAY

Dr. Hyatt Says Enough Rain Will Fall
Tomorrow to Cool the Air
a Bit.

Sunshades for Monday and umbrellas Tuesday is the wise prescription of the good Dr. Hyatt, surgeon in chief of St. Louis weather. There may be some floating clouds Monday afternoon, but they won't amount to much in the rain line. By Tuesday, however, it is likely that enough rain will fall to cool the air a bit.

Monday the mercury stood at the 64-degree mark at the hour of 7.

"Fair Monday and partly cloudy, with rain probably Tuesday," is the sign on Dr. Hyatt's weather map.

Other noteworthy features of the map is a broad high over the Atlantic states and a wee low over northern Missouri and a portion of Nebraska.

FALSELY ACCUSED, HE SAYS

Suit for \$2000 Damages Brought by
Lawyer Noland Against Police
Officials Is Being Tried.

Harry B. Hawes, Matthew Kiely, James H. Smith, John Bambrick and Warren Fox appeared Monday in Judge Tully's division of the circuit court as defendants in a \$2000 damage suit filed against them by Charles T. Noland, the attorney, who alleges that the defendants caused his illegal arrest and false imprisonment Dec. 18, 1901.

The plaintiff's petition alleges that the parties named had, with malicious intent, directed while he was at No. 15 South Eighth street which he was in the home of Long You, a Chinaman with whom Noland had legal business, a charge of smoking opium was preferred against Noland. He was tried before Judge Siderer and discharged.

NICOLAUS TRIAL IS JUNE 5

Case of the Suburban Director Charged
With Bribery Was Con-
tinued.

The case of Henry Nicolaus, the wealthy director of the Suburban Railway Co., indicted for bribery, called for trial Monday in the criminal division of the circuit court, presided over by Judge Ryan, was continued to June 5, an application of the defendant's attorney, Charles Nagel, that the defendants caused his illegal arrest and false imprisonment Dec. 18, 1901.

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ROBINSON DENIED NEW TRIAL

Judge Fletcher of division No. 2 of the circuit court Monday overruled a motion made by the defense in the case of Robinson vs. the American and Atholite Building Association.

NEW TREATY WILL INCLUDE BRIBERY

Clayton Authorized to Negotiate
Supplemental Measure
With Mexico.

CHANCES EXTREMELY GOOD
TALK OF FORCE AND STRATEGY
IS ALL NONSENSE.

Secretary Hay Has Agreed Upon a
Plan, but It Is Being Kept a Secret—Desmond Will Re-
main in Mexico.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—It is known on best possible authority that on account of the attempts made to extradite Kratz and the failure to get him, the state department has instructed Ambassador Powell Clayton to negotiate a new and supplemental extradition treaty with Mexico to include bribery.

The action was taken after a consultation between Secretary Hay, Senators Cockrell and Cullom and Circuit Attorney Folk of St. Louis. Investigation of the records show that all such treaties in the past have been retroactive.

POLE IS CONFIDENT.

While I do not desire to be understood as suggesting that there is no doubt as to Kratz ultimately being extradited or that the situation is free from difficulty, yet as it appears today the chances of his being brought back to Missouri are brighter than at any time since his flight.

The United States government I am satisfied will do all in its power to bring him within the jurisdiction of the Criminal Court of St. Louis. Just what action will be taken by the government as a result of my visit to Washington I am not at liberty to state. What is done will, of course, be through diplomatic channels.

Every lawful means will be used to insure the return of Kratz. While his exile in a foreign land and penalty of \$20,000 by forfeiture of his bond is punishment to some extent, yet his long career of hoodluming in the Municipal Assembly had inflicted such injury on the people of St. Louis that even the longest terms provided by law for bribery, seven years in the penitentiary, would be too light for his infamous crimes.

The right place for Kratz after years of official corruption is the Missouri penitentiary.

He will be landed there if within the ability of the State of Missouri and the United States to do so.

It may take time and patient perseverance to accomplish this, but the benefit to the city, by reason of this big municipal hoodlum being sent to the penitentiary, as an example to others, warrants all the trouble and labor necessary to bring about his consummation.

Circuit Attorney Folk's official statement, given above, was made after his return from Washington Monday. He had made the trip to the capital for the purpose of impressing the Federal authorities with the necessity of securing Kratz's presence in St. Louis. Prior to the issuing of the above announcement Mr. Folk said to the Post-Dispatch:

"You may say that the prospects for bringing Kratz back for trial are brighter now than at any time since his arrest."

"This must not be construed to mean that he positively will be returned, but that the chances today are more in favor of the State of Missouri than ever before."

"On what is this new hope based?" was asked.

"On the talk I had Saturday with Secretary Hay and the attitude of the state department. I was assured by the secretary that he was in full accord with Missouri and that all diplomatic efforts possible would be used to effect return of the fugitive."

"If diplomacy fails?"

"This talk of force and strategy is prejudicial to the case," Mr. Folk replied. "Nothing is being considered but diplomacy and we look to that and to that only to deliver Kratz to the United States."

"On what lines will the department proceed, a retroactive treaty or otherwise?"

"The plan has been agreed upon, but it would be decidedly indicative of me to publish it to the world before the foreign minister of Mexico has it through regular channels. I cannot discuss even generally the accepted mode of procedure."

"Will you say it is not by treaty?"

"The stake is so big that the greatest caution is imperative. Under the circumstances plans cannot be discussed for the public."

Mr. Folk's whole demeanor bore out his assertion that he was greatly encouraged by the attitude of the state department.

"Will Desmond and McGrath stay in Mexico?"

"Certainly, they will remain there."

"How long?"

Mr. Folk smiled blandly and stated that question was too hard for him.

"The case of diplomacy he said, 'Col. Hay is a diplomat of recognized ability. He is not the circuit attorney smiled again."

Mr. Folk left St. Louis at 3 a. m. Friday for Washington. His original intention was to confer with Secretary Hay and Senator Cockrell and then President Roosevelt concerning the extradition of a person named Kratz.

The day before Mr. Folk started for Washington he was informed by the secretary that it would be necessary to bring Kratz into a treaty for the extradition of a person named Kratz.

Mr. Folk then stated that this view was incorrect, and he quoted John Bassett Moore, a recognized authority on international law.

No fugitive criminal, the circuit attorney said, has a right of asylum in any country, and at any time any country having him may deliver him to any other country.

"This was the program when Mr. Folk left St. Louis. He declined to state Monday that it has been decided to be collected."

"The matter is now in the hands of the state department at Washington," he said.

RESCUE THE IMPERILED PEOPLE OF WEST INDIES

President Roosevelt Sends Message to
Congress Asking For Half a Million
Dollars to Be Available at Once.

SHIPS ORDERED TO SAIL TO THE STRICKEN LANDS

France Calls Upon the Government of
the United States to Assist Her in Car-
ing For the Starving Thousands
on Martinique.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The President today sent the following message to Congress:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives.

"One of the greatest calamities in history has fallen upon our neighboring island of Martinique. The consul of the United States at Guadeloupe has telegraphed from Fort de France, under date of yesterday, that the disaster is complete; that the city of Pierre has ceased to exist, and that the American consul and his family have perished."

"He is informed that 30,000 people have lost their lives and that 50,000 are homeless and hungry; that there is urgent need of all kinds of provisions, and that the visit of vessels for the work of supply and rescue is imperatively required."

"The government of France, while expressing their thanks for the marks of sympathy which have reached them from America, informs us that for de France and he enire island of Martinique are still threatened."

"They therefore request that for the purpose of rescuing the people who are in such deadly peril and threatened with starvation, the government of the United States may send as soon as possible the means of transporting them from the stricken land."

"The island of St. Vincent, and perhaps others in that region, are also seriously menaced by the calamity which has taken so appalling a form in Martinique. I have directed the departments of the treasury, of war and of the navy to take such measures for the relief of these stricken peoples within the executive discretion, and I earnestly commend this case of unexampled disaster to the generous consideration of Congress. For this purpose I recommend that an appropriation of \$500,000 be made, to be immediately available."

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

"White House, Washington, May 12, 1902."

ST. VINCENT MAY MEET THE FATE OF MARTINIQUE

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CASTRIES, St. Lucia, May 12.—St. Vincent may meet the fate of northern Martinique. Two craters in her gigantic volcano are pouring out rivers of fire. Mount Pelee is still emitting torrents of flame, steam and light stone.

St. Pierre and four villages within four miles of it have been obliterated, with their 40,000 inhabitants.

Five thousand refugees from Preucher and Carbet villages near St. Pierre, are on the mountains and being removed to Fort de France as rapidly as meager facilities will permit.

Relief ships have been sent to St. Pierre, but have been unable to render much service.

Boats sent to the shore report a terrible condition in the streets of St. Pierre. They are heaped with dead.

Many of the bodies are naked. All are seared and terribly burned.

The streets are filled with lava and wreckage.

Fires are still raging over St. Pierre and far along the coast to the north and south.

Vegetation all over the northern end of the island has been destroyed. Hail of rock and a terrible upheaval of the seas accompany the explosions.

The French cruiser Suchet has rescued 30 persons. The cable steamer Puoyer Quertier has saved 450.

So far as known these were the only survivors of the catastrophe.

The French cruiser Suchet, sent to St. Pierre with provisions, has been unable to make a landing.

Thousands are flocking into Fort de France, the capital of the island, demanding food.

Famine threatens the island.

The rain of hot cinders and ashes that has fallen all over it has parched vegetation and withered the crops.

Stone and ashes fell in Fort de France the day of the eruption.

Many miles from St. Pierre bodies of men and animals lie dead in the fields and along the roads.

Survivors, who have gone into neighboring towns, are hysterical and unable to tell a coherent story.

The eruption of La Soufriere has laid waste the entire northern end of St. Vincent.

Many lives are believed to have been lost there. The island today was invisible from here, being covered by a black fog.

Vessels are unable to approach near the north shore of St. Vincent, and the extent of death and ruin is unknown.

It is certain that 200 lives have been lost there.

Kingstown, the capital, is covered with ashes.

Ashes have fallen 100 miles from the volcano.

The flames of La Soufriere were seen 40 miles away.

Forked lightning, flashing in rapid succession over the volcano, accompanies the eruptions.

The eruption of Soufriere began last Monday, showering boiling water and mud on the residents nearby.

Sixty are reported to have been killed by lightning while fleeing.

Rivers of lava are pouring down the mountain sides into the sea.

Refugees are flocking into Kingstown, and food is scarce.

30,000 DEAD; 50,000 HOMELESS

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Hay has received the following cablegram, dated May 11, from United States Consul Armes at Guadeloupe, who went to Fort de France, Martinique, by instructions from this government:

"The disaster is complete. The city wiped out. Consul Prentiss and his family are dead. Governor says 30,000 have perished, 50,000 are homeless and hungry. He suggests that the Red Cross be asked to send codfish, flour, beans, rice, salt meats and blucut as quickly as possible. Visits of warships valuable."

The navy department this morning was notified of the departure of the cruiser Cincinnati from San Domingo City for Martinique.

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PORT CASTRIES, St. Lucia, May 12.—The steamer Spheroid from St. Vincent reports that 70 persons are known to have perished, and that this number is being increased constantly by reports from the searching parties that are out.

The configuration of the mountain is entirely changed.

Estates, chapels and everything in the vicinity of the volcano are buried in lava.

In some cases, entire families perished.

Gov. Llewellyn left here for St. Vincent on the warship Indefatigable today.

The steamer Wear has also gone with a supply of fresh water.

The steamer Kenneth, which has just arrived here, reports that the crater on St. Vincent is again active.

It had quieted down Saturday.

Residents of St. Vincent report that May 5 was abnormally hot, as was also the following day.

On Wednesday the crater presented a awful sight and columns of vapor, a mile high, were ascending.

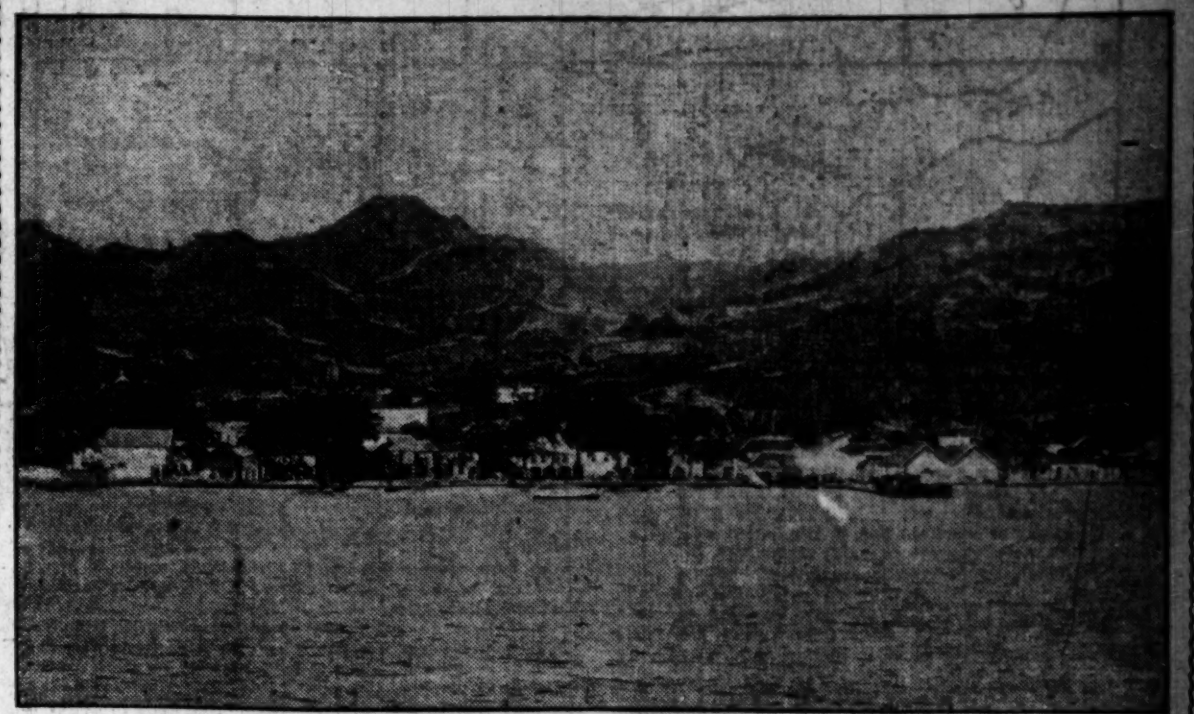
At midnight, an expedition departed by boat to the toward, but was driven back by a volcanic cloud, which nearly suffocated the members.

Upon the darkness was like that of midnight and stimes and dust were falling in large quantities.

expedition found its way to Kingstown by noon.

A steamer from St. Vincent at one mounted falling ash on 120 miles at sea.

KINGSTON, CAPITAL CITY OF THREATENED ST. VINCENT



SCENE IN THE HARBOR, SHOWING MOUNTAINOUS CHARACTER OF THE ISLAND.

MT. PELEE AND ST. PIERRE BEFORE THE DESTRUCTION



WHO WERE THE DEAD IN THE STRICKEN CITY OF ST. PIERRE.

Who were the dead?

They were the happy, the careless, the merry, the thrifty, the cheerful, the sane, some the athletic, some dignified. Those who lived in St. Pierre had all the virtues of the dwellers in northern climes and much of the gaiety and spirit of the happy-go-lucky people of the tropics.

Poverty was quite unknown in St. Pierre. There was work for all and plenty for all. Cleanliness thrived. Order prevailed. Drunkenness was rare. The beach was lined with public bathing places and few forgot to take their morning dip. Martinique was gay, well-to-do, industrious, full of fun and music and song till in one moment the torrent of boiling mud and lava made St. Pierre and the little villages that clustered about it a crematorium and a tomb.

Lafayette Hearns in his sketch "A Midsummer Trip to the Tropics" (copyright, Harper & Brothers, 1900) says of them: "The times were very gay in St. Pierre when the women and the men went about with their waists, happy and singing all day."

"He! zefants-la!-en dand!" Run out to meet her, little children, if you like the sweet rice cakes. * * * "He! gens pa' erho' gens pa' erho' gens do galles, main ni bel gouonou poison!" Ho! people upstairs, people downstairs, and all ye good folks who dwell in the attics—know that she has very big and very beautiful fish to sell! * * * "He! ca qui le mange yonne!" Those are "skates"—flat yellow-brown cakes, made of pounded codfish, or beans, or both, seasoned with pepper and fried in butter. * * * And then comes the pastry-seller, black as ebony, but dressed all in white and white-aproned and white-capped, like a French cook, and chanting half in French, half in creole, with a voice like a clarinet:

"C'est le souvenir de la patisserie qui passe, Qui se va vendre pour sugar son existence, Toujours content, Toujours joyeux, Oh, qu'ils sont bons! Oh, qu'ils sont doux!"

"It is the pastryman passing by, who has been up all night to gain his livelihood—always content—always happy."

"The quaint stores bordering both sides of the street bear no names and no signs over their huge arched doors—only a number inside to know what business is being done. Even then you will scarcely be able to satisfy yourself as to the nature of the commerce—for they are selling gridirons and frying pans in the dry good stores, holy images and rosaries in the notion stores, sweet cakes and confectionery in the confection stores, coffee and sugar and guava jelly in the tobacco stores, and lace and ribbons in the jewelry stores."

St. Pierre's children were banana-colored or orange-bred. There was one rare race, that wore a skin a gold-tone, the eyes with silky lashes, the hair thick with rich black glossy curls. It was not coolie, African, Chinese—it was Martinique.

The populace were vigorous, graceful, happy. There were no sickly faces nor scrawny limbs. The men were not so large, but they were perfect specimens of the race.

Bathing about St. Pierre was the pastime of the rich and humble. Mr. Hearns describes it:

"Bathers are dressing or undressing, wading, and are joined with heads of swimmers. Women and girls come in well rubbed from head to shoulders, and are very merry."

SCENE IN CITY OF ST. PIERRE.



VIEW OF THE MARKET PLACE.
(Typical scene in capital of Martinique, that has been destroyed.)

WAR BREAKS OUT IN HAYTI

Fighting in the Streets of Port-au-Prince Follows an Uproar in Congress.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, May 12.—Severe fighting is progressing in the streets of Port au Prince. The situation is very serious.

Congress, which opened at noon, had hardly heard the words of the president of the House declaring that a President of the republic was to be elected, when Deputy Jaannot declared that the Congress did not have the confidence of the people. This was followed by cries of "Vive la revolution" and "Aux armes," and a scene of great disorder followed. During the session was practically dissolved.

Fighting in the streets began soon afterwards and is in progress at this time.

FIXING TAXING VALUES.

Meeting of the Missouri Board of Equalization.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 12.—The State Board of Equalization met this morning and began hearing the reports of the railroad, bridge, telegraph and telephone companies on the assessment for taxes for this year. Gardner Lathrop of Kansas City was before the board this morning for the Atcham, Topeka & Santa Fe railway system. The Memphis system will be heard tomorrow. The street railways of Kansas City will be heard on June 5 and those of St. Louis and county on June 12. The board will be in session until June 12, when the telephone companies will be heard. This will be the first assessment of the board since the reorganization of the board.

AERONAUTS WERE DASHED TO DEATH

Sever's Airship Blew Up on
Trial Trip.

DARING BRAZILIAN KILLED

HIS ENGINEER BURNED TO
DEATH BEFORE FALLING.

Wife and Many Relatives and Friends
of the Inventor Witnessed Trag-
edy Which Came When
Triumph Seemed
Assured.

PARIS, May 12.—The death of Senhor Severo, a Brazilian aeronaut, who, with an assistant, was killed this morning by the explosion of his airship at La Paix, in which he was making a trial trip, caused terrible consternation among the specta-
tors.

Senhor Severo had invited several friends to witness the ascension, and his wife and a number of relatives were following the course of the balloon in motor cars.

Suddenly the spectators were horrified by a bright flash of light, followed by a loud explosion. The balloon, which at this time was 100 feet above the ground, fell rapidly, landing on the roof of a house.

The aeronaut fell into the Avenue du Maine. The bones of his legs were forced through the sole of his boots.

The engineer, who accompanied him, was burned to death.

The accident is said to have been caused by a leakage of gas.

Senhor Severo started with the intention of sailing to the military parade ground at Issy, and a large number of his relatives and friends were proceeding in the direction of that village, situated five miles south-west of Paris.

With an engineer, Sachet by name, Severo sailed out of his balloon house near the Boulevard de Valenciennes, at 5:30 a. m., in excellent spirits and full of confidence.

The aeronaut put his airship through a series of evolutions before starting in the direction of Issy.

There seemed to be some hitch with the steering gear, and the rear propelling screw turned with difficulty.

Nevertheless, after several stoppages, the airship sailed off, moving steadily enough through a light breeze.

Suddenly a puff of wind caught the ship and whirled it over the Avenue du Maine.

The ship turned completely around and veered about, showing control of her had been lost.

Then, from the center of the outer envelope a tongue of flame darted out.

This was followed by a loud report, resembling a cannon shot, and the balloon sank like a stone, falling on the roof of a house, whence it fell into the street.

The mangled corpses of Severo and Sachet were conveyed to a neighboring police station. Practically not a bone of either victim was left unfractured.

BARTHOLOMEW IS RENOMINATED

TENTH DISTRICT CONVENTION
INDORSSES SECRETARY
HITCHCOCK.

Richard Bartholomew was unanimously recommended for congress by the Tenth district convention at Concordia hall, Thirtieth and Arsenal streets, Monday morning.

The platform endorsed the administration of President Roosevelt and that of Secretary of the Interior E. A. Hitchcock of St. Louis.

It contained no mention of either Kerens or Adams and will score the Democratic state administration.

Former Congressman W. A. Rodenhorn of East St. Louis, who was nominated for congress last week, delivered the convention with a brief address.

The 113 delegates were called to order by Chairman W. F. Fleming of Webster Groves. Secretary Fred Kolb of the congressional committee was present.

On the floor, the St. Louis brewer, was made temporary chairman, John H. Meyer of St. Louis county secretary and William Lund of the seventh ward sergeant-at-arms of the temporary organization.

Committee on permanent organization, resolutions and credentials were appointed before the convention adjourned for luncheon.

Temporary organization, which was subsequently made permanent, was affected by the selection of the following: Chairman Otto F. Stifel, secretary, and William Dutzi of the Seventh Ward, sergeant-at-arms.

The committee on resolutions was composed of the following: First Ward, Peter Anderson; Seventh Ward, F. J. Schmidt; Eighth Ward, Charles Troll; Ninth Ward, A. Wilman; Tenth Ward, Rudolph S. Vitt; Eleventh Ward, Max C. Starkloff; Twelfth Ward, W. R. Schery; Nineteenth Ward, Herman Bauer; Twentieth Ward, Fred Voege; Twenty-seventh Ward, Charles L. Laxton.

Committee on permanent organization: First Ward, F. W. Klein; Seventh Ward, N. P. Zimmer; Eighth Ward, F. J. Schmidt; Ninth Ward, Louis Hehl; Tenth Ward, L. E. Kellwasser; Eleventh Ward, O. P. Doering; Twelfth Ward, George E. Kohn; Nineteenth Ward, Sam P. Stannard; Twentieth Ward, W. L. Wendick; Twenty-seventh Ward, J. E. Axtion; St. Louis County, George Tauphaas.

Credentials committee: John W. Overbeck, Harry Nolte, John W. Benda, Herman Stamm, F. W. Clemens, W. E. Huppert, Fred Kolb, A. G. Munn, Charles L. Laxton, after L. A. Nelson and C. M. Pruss of St. Louis County.

The convention was remarkable chiefly for its unanimity. Harmony was spelled

Our May Sale of New SPRING DRESS GOODS

At Half Price.

We would impress upon you the fact that these are all early spring purchases, not an old or undesirable piece in the lot.

One lot of 38-inch Storm Serges, striped and figured Soliel and Jacquards; was 50c and 55c a yard; May Sale Price, 19c

50 pieces 38-inch all-wool Etamine; this season's most stylish wool fabric; all new, choice colors; was 25c a yard; May Sale Price, 25c

40-inch hairline stripe Mohair Brilliantine; black, blue and brown grounds; was 25c a yard; May Sale Price, 25c

40-inch basket weave and canvas Cloths; stylish mixtures; very desirable for unlined skirts and tailor-made costumes; was 50c a yard; May Sale Price, 33c

45-inch Etamine Cloth, all wool; newest fabric; choice new colors; was 50c a yard; May Sale Price, 39c

45-inch Imported English Mohair Suits; choice colors; 45-inch all-wool Canvas Mixtures; new spring colorings; 44-inch Granite Cloths, in black and white grounds, with chalk-line silk stripes; never has there been a yard of these cloths sold for less than \$1.00 a yard; May Sale Price, 50c yard

64-inch Skirting Cloth, in stylish canvas weaves, homespun and Venetian cloths, in gray, brown, castor and blue; 51 and 51 1/2 goods; was 75c a yard; May Sale Price, 75c

(On Main Floor.)

50c All-Silk Ribbons at 25c a Yard,

with fancy floral designs, polka dot satins, fancy corded effects, embroidered satins, etc.—new soft weaves, 4 to 5 inches wide—were 50c a yard—May Sale Price, 25 cents yard

75c All-Silk Ribbons at 31c,

with fancy embroidered satin stripes, fancy soft taffetas, with satin edges, wide satins in fancy dots and stripe effects, fancy embroidered designs—all-silk ribbons, in all the dainty new colorings, 5 to 6 inches wide—were 75c a yard—May Sale Price, 31 cents yard (On Main Floor.)

New Wash Goods

At prices that cannot be matched anywhere in the country.

IN BASEMENT.

5-cent quality Linen-finish Lawns, immense assortment of styles—May Sale Price, 3 Cents

51-cent quality Seersucker Gingham, fancy stripes, in pinks, blues and reds—May Sale Price, 5 Cents

10-cent quality Satin-striped Lawns, fancy printed designs—May Sale Price, 6 1/2 Cents

12 1/2-cent quality Fine Printed Dimities, in light and dark styles—May Sale Price, 7 1/2 Cents

15-cent quality Printed Swiss Lawns, in white and tinted grounds—May Sale Price, 10 Cents

ON FIRST FLOOR.

20-cent quality Printed Embroidered Swiss, in beautiful designs—May Sale Price, 12 1/2 Cents

25-cent quality Zephyr Tissues, fine sheer woven fabrics, corded lace stripe effects—May Sale Price, 12 1/2 Cents

25-cent quality Batiste Satin Rays, in navy blue and black grounds—May Sale Price, 12 1/2 Cents

40-cent quality Imported Scotch Oxford, in checks and plaids, splendid styles, suitable for children's dresses—May Sale Price, 12 1/2 Cents

30-cent quality Silk Gingham, splendid quality; only a few styles left from last week—May Sale Price, 15 Cents

35-cent quality Scotch Madras, in shirting and shirt-waist styles—May Sale Price, 15 Cents

35-cent quality, solid fast black Lace Strip, Batiste, fine and sheer—May Sale Price, 15 Cents

35-cent quality solid fast black Mercerized Foulard, medium weight, rich, silky finish—May Sale Price, 20 Cents

35-cent quality Imported German Linen Foulards, in stripes and checks, very choice styles—May Sale Price, 21 Cents

50-cent quality silk and cotton MOUS-SELINE DE SOIE, exquisite new patterns, all in solid colors, in satin stripe and all-over embroidered effects—May Sale Price, 35 Cents

with a big H, and outside of Election Commissioner Louis P. A. There was not a word of mention of the Democratic party.

Even Johnny Owens and Charles H. Smith, who were usually on hand with resolutions endorsing their chief National Committeeman Richard C. Kerens failed to put in an appearance.

The principal feature of the platform was the omission of an endorsement of either Kerens or State Chairman Atkins.

Secretary of the Interior E. A. Hitchcock, however, whom the Kerens faction had fought bitter, was handed several requests, Mr. Bartholomew was placed in nomination by Frank M. Sterrett of the Twenty-fourth ward, whose speech was devoted chiefly to a review of the Tenth district congressional election.

The nomination was seconded by acclamation, and the call of the waik-lane proceeded it was apparent that the opposition to Bartholomew, if any there was, had not mustered a single vote.

When the result was announced a committee was appointed to escort Mr. Bartholomew to the hall.

In a neat address Mr. Bartholomew thanked the convention for the honor conferred and pledged anew his fealty to the interests of the Tenth district and the city of St. Louis at large.

Daniel's License Revoked.

Excise Commissioner Selbst Monday morning revoked the saloon license of C. W. Daniels at 114 North Garrison avenue, to take effect at midnight. The complaint was made by C. A. Schnake of 263 Easton avenue, who alleged that the saloon was a disorderly place, piano music and other features being maintained in violation of law.

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A Great May Sale of Silk Ribbons

This Is a Ribbon Season—Ribbons are to be extensively worn—more than ever before.

Ribbons for the Neck.

Ribbons for the Waist.

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Ribbons for Trimmings.

Ribbons Everywhere.

And here are ribbons, new ribbons, in all the new colorings, at prices that they cannot be manufactured for.

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Ready-Made Sheets and Pillow Cases.

On account of the sudden death of a member of the firm of the largest sheet and pillow-case manufacturing concern in the East, they wished to realize quickly on the assets, and offered us a large discount for cash to close some large lots. The goods are now here and make the largest single shipment of sheets and pillow-cases ever delivered to any retailer in St. Louis.

Over 100,000 Sheets and Pillow-Cases in This Great Lot.

Just at this time, when cotton goods are advancing in price, this Bargain Sale of superior sheets and pillow-cases is of supreme interest.

This occasion is extraordinary and not likely to occur again soon. Buy your year's supply in this sale and you will save money.

25,000 Pillow-Cases—

42x36 and 45x26, worth 14c, 15c and 17c—All at one price—10 Cents

75,000 Ready-Made Sheets—

Size 48x93, worth 40 cents—Go at 25 Cents

Size 63x90 and size 72x90, worth 50c and 55c—All go at 35 Cents

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Beautiful Handkerchiefs

At less than it costs to import them.

Ladies' fancy embroidered scallops, dainty lace embroidered designs, fancy burnt out edges, embroidered hemstitched designs, fancy leaf embroidered with burnt out edges.

The best lot of "seconds" ever offered; imperfections are only noticeable after close inspection.

1000 Dozen in Three Big Lots.

Lot 1—25c Handkerchiefs at 12 1/2 Cents

Lot 2—50c Handkerchiefs at 25 Cents

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B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles

May Sale Silks

Extraordinary price concessions for this week in new and desirable, seasonable and reliable silks.

Printed Silk Foulards, 24 inches wide, extra heavy quality, choice colors and new designs—was 50c a yard—May Sale Price, 35c

Printed Liberty Satins, 24 inches wide, extra heavy quality, with bright high lusters, this season's choicest designs—worth 50c and 55c a yard—May Sale Price, 48c

Taffeta Silks

A Great Bargain

50 pieces plain solid colored Taffetas, a very heavy cloth—never retailed under the yd.—May Sale Price, 39c

Corded Wash Silks—Another lot of those best quality corded Wash Silks—was 50c a yard—May Sale Price, 25c Yard

Two Great Bargains in

Shantung Pongee Silks

55 pieces Shantung Pongee Silks, 24 inches wide, heavy quality; was 50c a yard—May Sale Price, 39c Yard

